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### SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

This statement is filed in the application identified above pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56. The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement transmitted herewith is believed to be filed before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits and before a Notice of Allowance issues under Section 1.311. No representation is intended that a complete search has been made of the prior art or that no better art references than listed below are available. A copy of each reference is provided for review by the Examiner. The filing of this Statement will not be construed to be an admission that the information cited in the Statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in §1.56(b).

Enclosed is a copy of United States Patent 5,663,228, a copy of International Patent Application WO 00/7886 A1 and the Communication and European Search Report conducted with respect to the corresponding EPO application. These documents were received by applicant's counsel after August 20, 2004, and were not previously known to applicant.


If a Notice of Allowance is mailed on or before the filing of this Statement, the applicant requests that the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be treated as a request for reconsideration under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d).

The person making this Statement is the attorney who signs below on the basis of the information in the attorney's file and as provided by Applicant and his representatives.

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Respectfully submitted,

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